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### BUTTE CURRENT NOTES.

J. T. Cigar. Drink Butte brewery beer. Razer too shoes \$5.00. Gomer & Co. Sherman sells the best makes of pianos. The Effie Ellsler company is expected to play in Butte next week.

Do you smile? Yes. Where? At the Cabinet.

M. Kalisky and Annie Samuelson were married yesterday by Judge Colman.

J. T. Cigar factory 71 E. Park street, strictly union goods.

Wanted, two (2) first-class coat makers. W. S. Nash & Co.

Frank Reber received yesterday the sad news of the death of his mother who lived in Eastern Pennsylvania.

A leak occurred in the Owsley block last night causing considerable damage to the stock of Courtenay, Case & Gravelle Co.

W. R. Davis and others have sold to Margaret Dorhoefer parts of lots 3 and 4, block 36, Butte townsite, for \$3,750.

The Montana Union road now gives street car tickets to South Butte to every purchaser of a ticket to Anaconda.

Marriage licenses were yesterday issued to Ernest Gray and Nellie Pollard, and to M. Kalisky and Mrs. Annie Samuelson, all of Butte.

Miss Nona McStay, who was so seriously ill with blood poisoning that her life was almost despaired of, is now out of danger and is rapidly recovering.

The Fraction Lake mining claim, in Moose Creek district, has been located by Richard Barrat and others, and the Tiger lode, seven miles south of Butte, by Robert Dowell and others.

A special meeting of the general committee of the Butte Ministerial association on Sunday observance will be held at the Scandinavian church on Friday, at 8 p. m. By call of the president.

Robert James, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kelly, died Monday night from scarlet fever aged 3 years 11 months and two days and was buried Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock from the residence on Lower Main street.

A full rehearsal of the Butte Choral society is called for Orton Bros.' music store at 8 o'clock this evening, "Pirates of Penzance."

A daughter was born yesterday to Mrs. Homer G. White of the Women's and Children's home.

A meeting of the committees appointed to arrange for the Fourth of July celebration will be held at the city hall this evening, and all the members are urged by the mayor to attend.

James Brandon of Meaderville fell from a horse yesterday and broke his left arm at the wrist. Dr. Campbell attended him and reduced the fracture.

John Alfred Carlson, aged 1 year, died yesterday and will be buried this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, No. 522 East Broadway.

Henry Butler of Meaderville died at Boulder yesterday from rheumatism of the heart at the age of 28 years. The body was brought into the city by the Butte Undertaking company last evening. The funeral will take place from the residence of Mrs. Sutherland, in Meaderville, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Green to rain the trip to Inverness owing houses has been deferred until to-day or first pleasant day. Only 25 cents for round trip. Sale of plants at special prices. Accommodations for hundreds of visitors.

Get your sheetings and pillow casings at Connell's to-day. Full width for double bed sheeting will be sold at six yards for \$1; extra width at 20c a yard. Pillow casings of good quality without dressing at 10c and 12½c a yard.

## WHERE ARE THEY ALL AT

People Who Have Come Towards Butte and Got Lost.

### HE WAS NO GREAT SHAKES

Abbot Was Known in Bozeman as a Fellow Without Any Standing—A Reward for a Young Girl.

BUTTE, June 7.—A few particulars have come to light concerning Edward Abbot, who died last week from morphine poisoning and was buried by the county. A letter was received at police headquarters this afternoon from Chief of Police John Robertson of Bozeman, who states that Abbot was a bum, that he came to Bozeman last winter and lived on a ranch 15 miles out from the city. He always sent in to town for his mail, which he received under three different names. Robertson says that the dead man had an uncle by the name of Abbot at Carlinville, Ill.

Si Mounts also writes from Bozeman that Abbot worked for Flannery brothers on a ranch up to May 28 when he drew \$150 from the First National bank and left the city with the intention of going to Dallas, Tex., to visit with a brother.

The chief of police received information from Harris Fork, Wyo., that a reward of \$250 is offered for information concerning the present whereabouts of Miss Katie O'Dell, who is 17 years old, five feet two inches in height, weighs 140 pounds and has blue eyes. She was recently thrown from a horse and her face is badly swollen. She is supposed to be in company with a man named E. L. Lytle, who is 40 years old and an engineer by occupation. He has a sandy complexion and a large nose. Information should be addressed either to O. F. O'Dell, Fossil, Wyo., or S. A. Holdkin, chief of the Iowa Detective agency, at Cedar Rapids.

Philip Charles, of Valverde, Arapahoe county, Colo., writes to the chief of police for some information concerning his brother, Henry, who has not been heard from in two years. When last heard from he was at Wardner, Idaho, and intended coming to Butte. His mother, who is in South Wales, England, is heart-broken with grief over her son's failure to write to her. He is requested to communicate with either his mother or brother at once. Mabel Edwards of Colorado Springs, Colo., also writes to police headquarters asking whether or not there is a man in this city by the name of W. M. Edwards. She says that she is looking for her father, whom she has not seen in years, and she heard that he was in Butte.

### THEY'LL GO ON THE ROAD.

The Butte Choral Society to Visit Many Montana Cities.

BUTTE, June 7.—The Butte Choral society elected the following officers at its meeting to-night: President, Frank H. Walker; secretary, Ernest Hardestadt; treasurer, Sam Mayer; board of management, Messrs. Poterman, Gudelhofer and Gilbert. The society is in a flourishing condition and now has about 70 members, including nearly all of the best singers in the city. The company will make a trip through the state under the management of John Maguire, presenting the "Pirates of Penzance," which they so successfully rendered at the Auditorium a few weeks ago. They expect to sing in Anaconda June 18, and will play two nights at Great Falls and one or two nights in Helena.

### SPLENDID.

That's the Verdict of Those Who Saw "Faust" Last Night.

BUTTE, June 7.—Notwithstanding the downpour of rain to-night, there was a good crowd present at Maguire's to witness John Griffith and his company's excellent production of "Faust." The beautiful play was finely rendered, the scenic effects probably being as fine as any ever seen in Butte. Mr. Griffith's *Mephisto* was a superb production, and his comparison with Morrison in that character, which is often made, is justified by his clever performance. Miss Olive Martin is an ideal and faithful *Marguerite* and was especially well received by the audience, many of whom remembered her as Sol Smith Russell's leading lady two seasons ago. Ulrich Collins made a very acceptable *Faust*, and W. L. Roberts in the character of *Valentine* showed the capable actor. The other members of the company also did well, and on the whole, the performance was all that was promised. It will be repeated to-morrow and Saturday nights and at a Saturday matinee.

### For the Fourth of July.

BUTTE, June 7.—The B. A. & P. and Montana Union railroads will run an excursion to Anaconda for the I. O. O. F. picnic on the Fourth of July. Rates will be 75c for round trip. The committee of arrangements will soon have their full programme of sports published and the attractions will be numerous. It is expected that a drilling contest will be one of the features.

A course of lessons in high art cookery under the auspices of the Physical Culture club will be conducted by Mrs. S. T. Rorer, principal of the Philadelphia cooking school, in the Auditorium, beginning Wednesday evening, June 13, at 8 o'clock. The course will continue two weeks and will be inaugurated by a lecture that will be free to all interested. Course tickets \$10. Single tickets \$1. Gentlemen will be come except at the first lecture. Actual cooking will be done in view of the audience at each lesson.

Very superior values in Brussels carpets are being offered by Connell Co. at 48c, 58c and 68c per yard. The prices are so low that one is liable to think little of the quality unless they examine the goods. Connell Co. are anxious and willing to give every one the opportunity to see these extraordinary values.

Fine satens and crepe moire dress patterns at Connell's for \$1 each. Challie dress patterns, 50 cents each; see window.

Piano Tuning.

We guarantee all work from our tuning and repairing department. Sherman Music Co., 223 Main street, Butte.

Special bleached sheeting list at M. J. Connell's, six yards full width for double bed, selling for \$1. Bleached pillow casing, 10 cents and 12½c.

Thompson Falls Land & Lumber company have moved their office to the Hamilton block, 45 West Broadway.

Part 12 World's Fair Views now ready. Bring in your coupons.

### CLOSED ITS DOORS.

One of the Oldest Banks in Denver Going Out of Business.

DENVER, June 7.—The German National bank, one of the oldest in the city, did not open its doors to-day and is going out of business. It was one of the banks that closed its doors during the panic last July. When it reopened the depositors accepted extension certificates. The first of these were due last March and were paid. The second, due June 1, were paid as presented until last night when the funds of the bank were exhausted and the directors decided to close the doors permanently. National Bank Examiner Lasear was notified and took charge of the books to-day.

The closing of the bank means liquidation as far as possible. It is impossible to ascertain whether the depositors will be paid in full or not. The capital of the bank is \$500,000, surplus \$50,000. In December the bank's deposits were \$1,033,000; cash resources, \$326,000; total resources, \$1,359,000. According to the last statement, May 4, deposits were \$853,628. Cash resources, \$181,068. Total resources, \$1,034,696.

Cashier Clinton recently left the bank to accept the vice presidency of the American National. Since then the deposits have fallen off steadily, so President J. J. Reithmann, who is himself wealthy, decided to go out of business.

### JOINED THE MAJORITY.

Yesterday Was a Day of Deaths of Distinguished People.

NEW HAVEN, June 7.—Prof. W. D. Whitney died at 10:35 this morning.

PHILADELPHIA, June 7.—James A. Wright, head of the great shipping house of Peter Wright & Sons, died to-day at the age of 79.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Ex-Governor Rodman M. Price of New Jersey died at his residence in Oakland, New Jersey, to-day. He was a participant in raising the American flag by Commodore G. G. Sloat at Monterey, Cal., July 7, 1846, and also a member of the constitutional convention of Monterey, Cal., in September, 1849. He was formerly an officer in the United States navy.

### BANKS AND ALL OF THAT.

It's Thought the State Bank Scheme Will Never Revive.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—Banking authorities think the defeat of the state bank measure establishes as a finality that state banks and state bank currency will never be revived, and if any change is made from the present system it will be nationalized currency. Of the northern democrats only eight voted to repeal the restrictions of state banks. Two were from California. The vote shows three elements against repeal, viz., northern and southern republicans, northern democrats and scattering southern democrats.

Chairman Springer will call together the house banking and currency committee at an early day to consider the next step on the banking question.

### KANSAS REPUBLICANS.

They Favor Silver Coinage With a String on It.

TOPEKA, June 7.—The republican convention adopted its platform declaring that the tariff should protect the products of the farm as well as the factory; favoring bimetalism under restrictions that insure a maintenance of parity of value; favoring national legislation for the encouragement of irrigation and denouncing the present state administration for violation of law, corruption and incompetency.

James A. Troutman was nominated for lieutenant governor on the third ballot, the vote standing Troutman 538, Heiser 348.

### The Same Old Kick.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—George Ohteyer, chairman of the executive committee of the State Anti-Debris association of California, has complained to the interior department of extensive damage to lands and streams caused by hydraulic mining. He asserts the debris has reduced the navigability of the Sacramento and Feather rivers at least one-half during the low water season. The communication has been referred to the war department.

### ONE MORE TRAIN STOLEN.

Barker's Division of Coxe's Army Bound to Leave California.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 7.—Barker's army of industrialists, numbering about 400, captured a passenger train at Mojave today, and started south. When they arrived at Harrow the yardmaster of the Santa Fe uncoupled the locomotive and ran it out of reach. The men went into camp. Officers have left Los Angeles to arrest them.

Good pasturage for horses at the Thornton springs.

Challie dress patterns for 50 cents each at M. J. Connell's.

## WITHOUT ANY WARNING

Awfully Sudden Death of Richard Hocking.

### CRUSHED BY A BIG ROCK

Another of Those Distressing Accidents Which Are Too Sadly Frequent in the Mining Regions.

BUTTE, June 7.—Richard Hocking, a well-known Walkerville miner, was instantly killed by a fall of rock about 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Hocking was in partnership with John Martin in a lease on the Magna Charta mine, and they were working in the old tunnel, which was driven 1,650 feet, the entire length of the Magna Charta claim, some years ago. The point where they were working was about 1,000 feet in the tunnel and a short distance north of the Magna Charta hoist.

Martin and Hocking were working close together about 2:30 o'clock this afternoon when, without a second's warning, an immense rock, weighing fully 2,000 pounds, fell out from between the timbers, on the side of the drift, striking Hocking between the shoulders and crushing him down before he could utter a sound. Martin was working about four feet from the unfortunate man, and he at once ran to the end of the tunnel and summoned John C. Harris and A. Mathews, who went in and helped him take the rock off his partner's dead body.

Coroner Porter was summoned and conducted an inquest at the Alice hospital, where the body was taken. Martin, Harris and Mathews told the story of the accident as above related and they, and other witnesses, testified to the safety of the ground where the accident occurred.

A verdict of accidental death was returned.

Hocking was 35 years old and had resided in Walkerville for the past 11 years, during which time he had been almost constantly in the employ of the Alice company. He was unmarried and came here from Cornwall, where his father is now living. He was a member of the Black Prince lodge, Sons of St. George, and the funeral will take place under the auspices of that order from the residence of John Rich in North Walkerville, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The body is now at the Butte Undertaking rooms and will remain there until Sunday morning.

You can retain Red Star yeast fresh for weeks by keeping covered with water in a glass jar and putting in a cool place. Dip out with spoon after pouring off water.

Get our prices before buying a piano. Sherman Music company.

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Special Discount On

UPHOLSTERY, RUGS  
AND  
CHINA MATTINGS.

\$7.50 Moquette Rugs..... \$5.75  
6.50 Smyrna Rugs..... 5.00  
5.00 Smyrna Rugs..... 3.50  
4.00 Smyrna Rugs..... 2.75  
3.00 Smyrna Rugs..... 2.00

### UPHOLSTERY.

\$1.00 BROCATELLE..... \$ .75  
2.75 BROCATELLE..... 2.00  
3.50 BROCATELLE..... 2.50  
5.00 BROCATELLE..... 4.00  
7.50 UPHOLSTERY SILKS..... 6.00  
60c FRENCH CRETONNE..... .40

### STRAW MATTINGS.

EXTRA QUALITY, per yard..... 25c  
FANCY JOINTLESS, per yard..... 35c  
HEAVY DAMASK, per yard..... 50c

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Our Very Best Mining Shoe, heavy sole and tap; Hungarian Nailed is

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\$1.50

A Large Stock of Men's Solid Working Shoes at \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Miners' Nailed Boots, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.

**THE RED BOOT,**

A. DUCHARME & CO., BUTTE, MON.

O. K. LEWIS & CO. BUTTE, MONT.

To-day, the first day of the Handkerchief Sale.

Like all previous special sales the best values soon disappear. Come early.

Prices are lower than ever. See east window. 100 dozen Handkerchiefs at 5c, value 10c. 100 dozen Handkerchiefs at 30c a dozen.

25 Dozen White Handk'fs, Initialed,

At 5c Each.

50 dozen Embroidered Lawn Handk'fs at 8½c, value 15c.

25 dozen Colored Embroidered Handk'fs at 10c, value 15c.

32 dozen White Hemstitched Handk'fs, with pretty reverse inside hem, good quality cloth, formerly 20c; sale price, 12½c.

20 dozen Swiss Embroidered Handk'fs, value 25c, at 15c.

50 dozen, scalloped borders, Linen Handk'fs at 25c, values up to 40c and 45c.

A commercial tourist's sample line of Handkerchiefs will be in this sale. They will be sold at wholesale prices, fully 33½ per cent. less than regular retail prices.

### THINK OF IT!

Genuine Scotch Ginghams in about a hundred new and pretty designs that you have been paying 25 cents a yard for, on sale this week at

16½ Cents.

We have never sold as many yards of Ginghams in a whole year as has been passed out over our counters the past four days. Only two days more for Ginghams at this price.

### Umbrellas and Mackintoshes

On sale to-day at reduced prices.

### Basement Annex To-Day.

SPECIAL FRIDAY ATTRACTIONS.

Bleached Muslin, good quality, yard wide at 6c.

Light Prints at 4c.

Indigo Blue Prints, best qualities, at 5c.

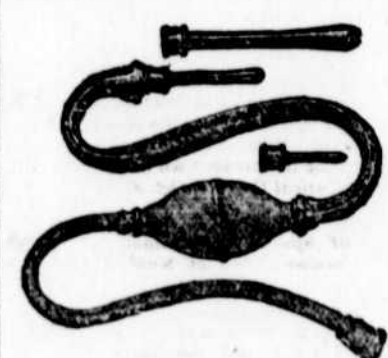
Toweling at 5c.

Outing Flannels at 8½c, 10c, 12½c, formerly 10c, 12c, 15c.

Special Prices on Linens To-Day.

To-morrow, extra values in cloaks and suits. Read this announcement.

O. K. LEWIS & Co



### SYRINGES.

If you are in want of a family syringe it is very important that you have the best, as a poor syringe will do more damage than

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Products in the city.

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We have but ONE PRICE and are not ashamed to advertise it. Compare our prices with those you are paying:

WE OFFER:

Granulated Sugar, per cwt..... \$5.75  
C Sugar, per cwt..... 5.25  
Fertilized Sugar, per cwt..... 6.50

Our Brands of Flour are:

"PILLSBURY'S BEST,"  
"BELLE OF JANESTOWN,"  
"ROYAL,"

"PRIDE OF BUTTE,"

and we can save you money on every sack purchased.

Rye Flour, per sack..... \$ .70  
Corn Meal, per sack..... .60

Roller Cakes, per half barrel..... 3.00  
25 lbs. Rolled Oats..... 1.00  
8 Packages Quaker Oats..... 1.00

We have the celebrated Antioch Olive Oil \$2

oil in all sizes. Galion can Olive Oil

Butter.

We are still selling Corn, Peas and String Beans at 10 CENTS per can.

We are headquarters for all Teas and Coffees which are imported direct by us. Prices from 25c to 75c per pound.

We beg to call your attention to "OUR CHOICE" Japan Tea, of which we are selling 3 lbs. for \$1.00 and guarantee it to be better than any 50c Tea in the market. Try it, and if not satisfactory, return same and receive your money back.